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COPPER ZONE HAS RICH STRIKE

Three Feet of Rich Stuff Encountered in Drift on the 200-Foot Level.

VALUES RUN WELL INTO HUNDREDS OF DOLLARS.

Manager Rickards Receives Telephone Message from Foreman and Departs for the Camp.

J. R. Rickards, manager and one of the heavy stockholders of the Copper Zone mine, situated in the vicinity of New Castle, this county, received very encouraging news from the workings last Wednesday evening, when Foreman Walter Spencer called him on the telephone and reported that they had struck it "bigger than a wolf" in the drift that was being run on the 200-foot level. Mr. Spencer stated that they had more than three feet of the high grade stuff that has been encountered heretofore only in the form of float or small seams. No assays have yet been obtained from this new strike, but it is the same ore that has been assaying well into the hundreds of dollars in gold, silver and lead.

The entire ledge, in which this vein of high grade has been encountered samples \$76.00 per ton in the above minerals, and a discovery was recently made that much of the ore contains quick silver, one assay showing \$80 to the ton in this substance.

Taking everything into consideration Manager Rickards is greatly enthused, and begins to feel that at last his long and persistent work in this district is about to be rewarded.

The Copper Zone mine is a comparatively recent discovery, but is in the same mineral zone with Bullion and Chloride Canyons, which have been prospected to some considerable extent for a number of years, and give promise some day of becoming important producers.

The development work at Copper Zone consists of a shaft 200 feet deep and a few short drifts and cross-cuts.

With the completion of the railroad from Lund to Cedar City next year, a great impetus will be given to mining in this vicinity and an important camp is certain to result.

BRANCH A. C. NOTES.

The Seniors will give their semi-annual ball Saturday, Dec. 11. This is one of the much talked-of events of the school year, because the Seniors always know how to entertain. Preparations are being made for this dance in order that the people will know what a really good time is.

The second number of the Lyceum course will be given Friday night. Mr. Hanks, lecturer and entertainer, has been here before on this course, and the people who heard him then will be very glad to know that they will have the opportunity to hear him again.

At chapel last Tuesday Mrs. E. C. Watson was the speaker. She told of her trip through California and also through the exposition grounds. Her talk was greatly appreciated by the students. Mr. Knudsen sang twice, and Mrs. A. N. Leonard gave a piano selection.

The basket ball season is about to begin. The first game will be between the All-Stars of the town and the first team of the school, tonight. The second game will be between Richfield and the B. A. C. Both of these are practice games. The league games will begin the latter part of December.

The "A" number of The Student is just out. It contains some excellent cuts of the "A" and also of the surrounding country. Besides this there are a number of good stories, poems, and dramas connected with the making of the numeral.

The Juniors will entertain the members of the faculty and the Senior class at a dancing party Saturday night in the College auditorium.

FOR SALE.—A 6-hole steel range, \$10.00.—Mrs. E. C. Watson.

STATELINE.

Stateline, Utah, November 29, 1915.

Postmaster La Cook was in town Sunday on business. Mr. Bowers accompanied him.

Geo. E. Scott of Hamblin Valley has about one hundred acres planted to fall grain, which is coming up and looking fine.

C. W. O'Grain has moved his family in from his Atchison Creek ranch for the winter, in order that the children may attend school, but as yet there is no school.

Mr. La Cook of California, brother of the postmaster, has just finished the erection of a fine residence on his homestead. Mr. Bennett, also of California, was the architect.

Henry Flinspach came up on a flying trip Thursday, to spend Thanksgiving with the folks at the ranch. Mr. R. C. Warner of Hond's Peak, Colorado, accompanied him here.

Alonzo and Dewey Roberts, sons of Jim Roberts, and aged 14 and 16 years respectively, started out last week to join two older brothers at Fort Duchesne, Utah. The lads after reaching Beryl suddenly came to the conclusion that there was no place like home, they returned, joyous to get back.

The two Lucas brothers from their ranch near Modena, were in town last week. They were looking for an empty building that they could move onto their homestead, but they were unable to purchase one.

George Tyron has gone to Modena for a few weeks to clerk in B. J. Lund's store. Mr. Lund always calls upon Mr. Tyron several times each year for Mr. Tyron is a very competent man, and understands the clerking business to a "t," having spent a good many years at the business in the East. At present they are invoicing stock.

Henry Flinspach reports that he almost had a serious accident at his ranch last week. He had just purchased a new heating stove from Mr. Lund and setting it up built a fire in it and left the room for about five minutes. Upon returning he found the floor under the stove in flames. Henry states that if he had been absent a few minutes longer it would have been serious. The affair speaks well for the heating qualities of Mr. Lund's stoves.

Mr. Mackelprang and family of Burnt Canyon, Nevada, passed thru Hamblin Valley the past week. Mr. Mackelprang was taking his family to Cedar City for the winter. They were caught in a blizzard as they reached O'Grain's ranch and were suffering severely from the cold, as they had only scanty wraps, the weather being warm when they started from home.

Mr. R. C. Warner turned up Thursday after an absence of two years. He has been leasing at Hands Peak, Colorado, on a lead and zinc proposition. Mr. Warner has now taken up his residence on his homestead near by, and anticipates doing some extensive ranching in the spring. His farm is near the "Lonesome Pine."

An exciting incident happened last Wednesday between here and Violet Springs. Will Flinspach and his brother Henry, together with two other cow boys—Hollinger and Warren—were engaged in driving a bunch of cattle to Heist's field in the Escalante valley, when they "jumped up" two big wild cats. One of the animals made off while the other scaled the nearest tree. After the boys had pelted the big cat with stones for a half hour without bringing the gentleman down, Will Flinspach grew impatient and seizing a club started after Mr. Cat. As he came within striking distance the cat suddenly sprang at its antagonist. It was fortunate for Will that he is "as quick as a cat." He had just time to "duck" behind a limb, and as he did so he wielded a back-handed blow which landed on the animal's head stunning it, and it fell at Henry's feet. The boys all fell to trying to exterminate the varmint and in doing so caused such a commotion, mingled with the cries of the cat, that the cattle were stampeded and it was only after a half hour's hard riding that they were again under control. Dillard Lancaster secured the cat as a trophy.

HOME STRETCH IN BIG AUTO CONTEST

ONLY ONE WEEK REMAINS IN WHICH TO REGISTER YOUR VOTES FOR YOUR FAVORITES IN RACE FOR THE FORD CAR.

Mrs. J. David Leigh is Leading as the Contestants Round the Last Angle of the Track and Face the Outcome, Mrs. J. C. Carpenter, with the Phenomenal Count of 41,950 Votes for the Week, Has Jumped up to Second Place, With Mrs. Margaret Pryor a Close Third—Less Than 7,000 Votes Separate the Three Leading Candidates, and The Finish Promises to be an Exciting One—It is Still Anybody's Race, and Subscribers Have an Excellent Opportunity to Test Their Judgment in our Prize Guessing Contest; Read About it Below:

STANDING OF THE CANDIDATES.

Mrs. J. David Leigh	82,675
Mrs. J. C. Carpenter	79,820
Mrs. Margaret Pryor	75,810
Blanch C. Jones	55,180
Miss Maud A. Benson, Parowan	10,830
Alonzo Dalton	9,380
Fannie R. Jones	3,020
Mrs. Archie Spillsbury, Toquerville, Utah	750

We certify the above count to be correct.

JOHN P. FULLER,
M. D. HIGBEE,
S. J. FOSTER,

Judges on the Contest.

Only one week remains of The Record's prize voting contest; the candidates for the prizes are now on the home stretch, with the three leading contestants running almost abreast. Less than seven thousand votes intervene between the three foremost, and some of the others are near enough to the front to be dangerous rivals. It is still anybody's race, and those who have favorites among the contestants should not lose this last opportunity of depositing their votes for them. The race is close, and the votes of one single subscription payment may turn it in favor of the candidate receiving them. Now is the time to act. Next Saturday, even, will be too late.

There will not be another count of the vote until the 14th inst., four days after the contest closes, which will give time for all letters containing votes or remittances entitling the sender to votes, and mailed not later than the 10th to participate in the final count.

There have been some surprises during the past week. Mrs. Carpenter, by the remarkable vote of 41,950, advanced to second place in the contest, and is going to be a strong contestant to the finish. Mrs. J. David Leigh made another good gain for the week and now heads the column again. Mrs. Pryor is by no means discouraged, and expects to show the other contestants a lively finish, and either Mrs. Blanch Jones or Alonzo Dalton may drive the car away at the close of the contest. There is a splendid opportunity for our subscribers to show their judgment in selecting the winner of the first prize, and gussing at the vote that he or she will win the car upon. As announced last week, we will give cash prizes for the three best guesses as to the winner and vote, as follows: First prize, \$5.00; second prize, \$2.50; third prize, \$1.50. Every subscriber whose account is paid into or beyond 1917 is eligible to guess on the vote. It really costs you nothing to guess, for you will want the paper anyhow and it will be a good thing to have it paid a little in advance, for time soon slips by and these little accounts become due again.

Inasmuch as one candidate does not know what another candidate is doing, we have not seen fit to stipulate that they cannot guess at the outcome of the contest, so that if any of the contestants or their relatives or friends wish to submit a guess, they will have the privilege of doing so. Below will be found a form on which to write your guess. Clip it out, fill in the blank lines and enclose it in an envelope addressed to The Record's Ballot Box. It can either be sent through the mails or deposited in the box in person: Do not fail to clip your name and address from the margin of your paper or the wrapper, and paste in the place provided for that purpose on the form given below, it will be evidence of the date to which your paper is paid:

RECORD GUESSING CONTEST.

Paste Your Name and address here

I guess that

will win the car, with a final vote of

Signature

If you have made payment since the last paper was printed it will be necessary to have the publisher or a representative of The Record sign here:

CALIFORNIA CAPITALISTS COMING

Party Interested in Green Coal Properties Due Here Next Week to See Mine.

LOOKS FAVORABLE FOR EARLY DEVELOPMENTS

Entanglements That Have Tied up Property Being Straightened—Work May Start Soon.

A party of California capitalists interested in the development of the Green coal properties are due to arrive in Cedar City next week for the purpose of going over the situation with the Doctor, and arriving at some satisfactory basis on which the property can be developed and the product placed on the market in commercial quantities.

For some time past the property has been tied up in litigation, and the aerial tram and other equipment that was to have been supplied the early part of the present year has not materialized. This litigation, however, has now been settled, the doctor informs us, and everything seems favorable for the carrying out of the original program of developments in the early spring. The doctor has a standing order for 500 tons of the ore per day by one of the steamship companies on the coast as soon as transportation facilities are afforded and the mine equipped to supply a heavy tonnage. Besides this there is a large local consumption of coal, and each year this is increasing, so that the mine would no doubt pay handsome dividends, even if no coal were shipped out of the southern part of this state. But everything indicates that a branch railroad will be built next year between this place and Lund, which will solve the problem of transportation. The proposition is highly feasible, and the question of tonnage is said to be the only consideration now with the people behind the move. With the deep ledges on this particular property, it ought not to be a serious consideration; but should it develop to be, there is no question about obtaining all the coal in this locality that the coast trade can consume for hundreds of years to come. The veins extend practically all through the extensive range of mountains east and south of Cedar City for many, many miles.

We trust that it will be only a matter of a few months now until this county will be supplying the coast trade with all the cheap coal and iron they can make use of, and we will be employing a small army of men in its production.

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WEEK'S OFFERINGS AT THE THORLEY THEATRE

For the week beginning Monday, December 6th, the Thorley electric theatre offers the following repertoire of motion picture plays:

Monday night—Lillian Russell in "Wild Fire."

Tuesday—Barbara Tumont in "M'Liza."

Wednesday—New Exploits of Elaine, featuring Lionel Barmore.

Thursday—Broncho Billy, in a new and amusing situation.

Friday—"The Diamond from the Skies"—the \$10,000 photo play.

Saturday—An exceptional program by the Mutual Film Co.

Examination for Postmaster.

An examination for fourth class postmaster, with a view of filling the vacancy that exists in the Paragonah office, will be held at Panguitch on Saturday, December 11th. Any person residing within the limits of said post office between the ages of 21 and 65 years are eligible to take the examination. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$235 for the last fiscal year.

Miss Lillian Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walker, is ill of pneumonia.

KANARRAVILLE.

Kanarra, Utah, Dec. 1, 1915.

County Assessor Reese J. Williams had a narrow escape from death by taking strychnine, which had accidentally been spilled in a pan of milk. November 29 at about 9:45 p. m. Mr. Williams thought he would have a lunch before going to bed, and was in the act of taking a drink of milk. As soon as he took it into his mouth he detected a bitter taste and spat as much of the milk out as he could. An examination of the pan of milk from which his glass had been filled, disclosed the presence of a small bottle containing strychnine, that had been used in poisoning vermin about the place and had been placed in the cupboard. The young man, who was "batching it" at home at the time with an old gentleman, ransed his mouth as well as possible, and got in communication with Dr. Leonard at Cedar City by telephone as soon as possible. He did not know whether he had swallowed enough of the poison to harm him or not, but arranged for the doctor to remain connected by telephone, so that he could call him if occasion required.

He then went to the home of his sister, Mrs. J. W. Williams, who did what she could for him, and feeling all right he decided to go home and go to bed. No sooner had he lain down, however, than he commenced to jerk and tremble and show signs of going into convulsions. He crawled to the telephone and called his brother-in-law, Wallace Williams, who hurried to his assistance, and taking the patient home with him again, telephoned to Dr. Leonard, who responded promptly, and in forty minutes after receiving the summons was with the patient. By the use of sedatives the patient was kept out of convulsions, and by early morning was out of danger, but in future he will hardly raise a drink of milk to his lips without thinking of this narrow escape from death by the strychnine route.

The basket ball game which was played on Thanksgiving between the girls of the town and those of the school resulted in a victory for the town girls. The game was refereed by Hartley Woodbury, who worked hard as well as the girls.

There is a good deal of sickness in town at present. About every family has one or more of its members affected with la grippe.

John A. Williams now has the plastering done in his new house, and the painters are expected soon to put on the finishing touches.

The B. A. C. students from this place spent Thanksgiving at home with their parents.

LIBRARY NOTES.

The public school is supplying the Library with the School Arts Magazine, for the benefit of teachers and others interested in art.

Mrs. Carrie C. Milligan for a Christmas present, gave the Library a year's subscription to the Woman's Journal.

Such a demand for the "Call of the Wild" by Jack London, on the part of the seventh grade students of the district school, that we fully appreciated the gift of Henry Bergstrom of an extra copy of the book.

Our book circulation yesterday was 100 and over 80 readers and visitors were at the Library.

LIBRARIAN.

NEW HARMONY.

New Harmony, Utah, Nov. 30, 1915.

Thanksgiving passed off very quietly here, the principal attractions being a children's dance in the afternoon and one for adults in the evening.

E. C. Grant, who has been ill for some time is now on the road to recovery.

Mary Knell and Walter Spencer of New Castle spent Thanksgiving here. Mrs. Ashby Pace returned home with them Saturday to visit relatives at New Castle.

Antone Prince of this place and Vilate Cottam of St. George were married on Thanksgiving Day. We all wish them a long life of wedded happiness.

Dr. A. N. Leonard was in town yesterday seeing some of his patients.